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EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY RECORD

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of interview 3/9/04 (5) Maria E. Pasquale, Counsel

Type: Telephonic Personal (copy is given to applicant applicant's representative).Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: Yes No. If yes, brief description:Agreement was reached with respect to some or all of the claims in question. was not reached. N/AClaims discussed: Proposed claim amendmentIdentification of prior art discussed: 103 (a) art of record

~~defined = claim language "placenta having been obtained & cord blood flushed = effluent fluid to remove residual placental blood cells"~~ Dr. Hirri explained

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

~~The novelty of the invention, then discussion focused on how to write the claims to distinguish the present invention from the cited prior art.~~

~~The cells collected after the perfusion appear to be free of cited art of record. The Examiners agreed that the draft Clm 1 as proposed by the applicants at the discussion would distinguish the invention from cited (A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments, if available, which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments which would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)~~ art

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2. Since the examiner's interview summary above (including any attachments) reflects a complete response to each of the objections, rejections and requirements that may be present in the last Office action, and since the claims are now allowable, this completed form is considered to fulfill the response requirements of the last Office action. Applicant is not relieved from providing a separate record of the substance of the interview unless box 1 above is also checked.

Examiner's Signature